

fresh supply cannot be considered heavy, it is fully equal to the demand. The market is slightly top-heavy, with some receivers shading fowls 4@5c to attract business. Strictly prime downy-necked fowls are difficult to place at over

ceed 12c. Here and there a small lot of very fancy, closely graded, sold up to 14c, but this price was exceptional. Spring chickens in larger proportion to the receipts and only fancy large bright birds commanded the top prices. Old roosters slow. Fresh-killed turkeys not

Eggs.
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
New York, July 25.—Eggs—Receipts to-day were 17,693. Eggs—Receipts to-day were 17,693.

Western average best 15c, seconds 15c; Kentucky average best 12 1/2c, seconds 15c; Tennessee and Southern average best 16 1/2c, seconds 15c; Missouri average best 14 1/2c, seconds 15 1/2c; Illinois 12 1/2c; Ohio, case, 14 1/2c.

Chicago, July 26.—Eggs easier, at mark, cases.

Kansas City, Mo., June 30.—Eggs higher; Missouri and Kansas, new No. 2, whitehead class 15c; old, same count, No. 2, same area, returned for less.

Butter and Cheese.—New York, July 26.—Butter, steady; unchanged. Cheese, quiet. State full cream, large wheels, 15¢; small wheels, 14¢. Creamery butter, 14¢. Philadelphia, July 26.—Butter, steady; fair demand. Cheese, steady; fair demand. State full cream, choice to fancy, 15¢; New York full cream, 14¢.

The Metal Market.—New York, July 26.—Tin was higher to-day in both the local and foreign markets. In London the price advanced 1/2¢ to 10 1/2¢. In the United States, while the New York price was advanced 1/2¢ to 10 1/2¢, the market in London, with spot contracts at 157 1/2 to 34 and futures at 160 to 34. Locally, the market was quiet. Tin plates, 12 to 16¢; electrolytic at 12 to 16¢.

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The girls, Margaret Gorch and Margaret Means, ran away from their homes, they say, at the instigation of the Rhodes woman, who sent them transportation.

When they left home, the father of the Means girl telegraphed the police to arrest his daughter upon her arrival. Both girls were taken into custody.

When the Rhodes woman was arrested the police found in the house Emma Ward, 16 years old, who stated that she had been enticed from her home in Alabama, under the name promises held out

When the matter was placed before Assistant Circuit Attorney Hancock yesterday morning he caused information to be issued against the Rhodes woman. She is held under a \$10,000 bond.

Charles Gorch, father of one of the girls, arrived yesterday from Alabama and will take his daughter home as soon as

THIRTY THOUSAND TO STRIKE.

Walkout Ordered From Fall River Textile Mills.

1510 to 336, the textile workers to-night decided to strike on July 26 in all of the so-called union cotton mills of this city, where a 12½ per cent reduction has been announced, to become operative next Monday.

Thirty thousand employees are affected.

THE WEATHER.
Official Forecast for To-Day and To-Morrow.
Washington, July. 20.—Forecast for To-morrow and Sunday.

For Indiana and Illinois—Showers and thunderstorms Thursday; cooler in central and southern portions; Friday, fair; light, variable winds.

Kansas—Fair in north, showers in south portion Thursday; Friday, fair, warmer.

Nebraska—Fair, warmer Thursday; Friday, fair.

Missouri and Iowa—Occasional showers and thunderstorms Thursday; Friday, fair.

Eastern Texas—Occasional showers and thunderstorms Thursday and Friday; light, south winds.

Western Texas—Showers in south, fair and cooler in the north portion; fair in south portion Thursday and Friday.

Local Report.

Barometer, inches.....	29.19	29.00
Temperature, degrees.....	81	71
Humidity, per cent.....	81	71
Direction of wind.....	NE	S
Velocity of wind.....	5	8
Precipitation, in inches.....		.10
Weather at 7 a. m., clear; at 7 p. m., clear.		
Maximum temperature, 84; minimum temperature 72; stage of river at 7 a. m., 20.9 feet.		

Government Report.
Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.
—Meteorological observations received at St. Louis, July 26, 1904, at 6:59 p. m. local time and 8 p. m. twenty-fifth meridian time. Observations made at the same moment of time at all stations.
Stations. Dir. Tp. Mt. Rain Weather,

Amartillo	.....E	84	88	Cloudy
Atlanta	.....NW	80	94	• Pt. clouds
Bismarck	.....NW	78	78	Clear
Buffalo	.....NW	74	78	Clear
Charlotte	.....S	82	86	• Cloudy
Chattanooga	.....NW	78	92	Cloudy
Cincinnati	.....NW	84	90	Clear
Cleveland	.....W	80	90	Clear
Chester	.....SE	70	84	Cloudy
Columbus	.....SW	82	88	Cloudy
Dallas	.....N	70	88	Rain

Cheyenne	S	76	78	Cloudy
Concordia	SE	78	85	Cloudy
Duluth	N	64	76	Partly cloudy
Dubuque	NW	76	82	Clear
Davenport	N	80	88	Partly cloudy
Des Moines	N	78	80	Clear
Denver	SE	72	82	Partly cloudy
Dodge City	SE	76	84	Cloudy
El Paso	E	84	90	Clear
Fort Smith	W	78	94	Rain

-Grand Rapids	.....NW	74	52	.....Pt cloudy
-Grand Junction	.....SE	80	94	.....Pt cloudy
Huron	.....E	78	82	.....Clear
Hayre	.....NE	86	86	.....Clear
Helena	.....NE	84	84	.....Clear
Indianapolis	.....NW	84	85	.....Clear
Jacksonville	.....S	84	94	.....Clear
Kansas City	.....NE	80	82	.....Pt cloudy
-Little Rock	.....SW	76	92	.....Rain
Louisville	.....N	88	92	.....Cloudy
Lander	.....NW	76	84	.....Cloudy

Memphis	SE	78	82	.05	Cloudy
Marquette	NE	58	64	...	Cloudy
Modena	E	82	94	...	Pt cloudy
New York	NW	80	84	...	Clear
Norfolk	E	72	88	.53	Cloudy
New Orleans	SW	80	86	...	Clear
Nashville	S	72	88	.38	Rain
North Platte	SE	78	82	...	Clear
Omaha	NE	72	80	.04	Clear
Oklahoma	SE	88	92	...	Pt cloudy

Palestine	.....	80	86	Cloudy
Pittsburg	NW	80	86	Clear
Parkersburg	N	82	86	Clear
Puebla	N	84	86	Cloudy
Q Appelle	NW	72	74	Clear
Rapid City	SE	76	78	Clear
St. Paul	NW	76	78	Clear
Shreveport	N	88	92	06 Cloudy
Springfield, Ill.	SE	84	90	Pt Cloudy
St. Louis	S	77	84	10 Clear
Springfield, Mo.	SE	63	66	40 Rain

San Antonio	SE	78	85	.01	Clear
Vicksburg	SW	86	88		Pt cloudy
Valentine	E	75	80		Clear
Washington	NW	78	84		Cloudy
Wichita	NE	68	74	.08	Cloudy
Amarillo	SE	84	88		Cloudy

*Precipitation inappreciable.
 †Thunderstorm.

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